



DELMAR KINDERGARTENERS HAVE A CIRCUS

One of the things tots in the kindergarten at Delmar elementary school will remember for some time to come is their circus, replete with big top

and animal cages. Organizer of the event was Miss Mary Freeman, kindergarten teacher.

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COLONIE:

Double Session Classes Loom If Fund Bid Rejected

More than 30 classes will be double-sessioned by 1961 in North Colonie Central Schools unless district voters approve funds next week for additions on Forts Ferry, Southgate and Goodrich Schools, the Board of Education has revealed.

Double-sessions mean pupils would attend schools only a half-day due to space shortage.

The board calls double-session classes "most undesirable" and has recommended the additions, along with purchase of land for another school to be built in the future, and more land for Goodrich School.

Cost of the additions and land has been estimated at \$810,000, costing the taxpayers about \$2 per thousand per year in taxes for the debt service on this amount, the board said.

MEETING TUESDAY

A public meeting on the proposed expansion program will be held Tuesday, June 18, in the Blue Creek School, Latham; a voting on the proposal will be held Saturday, June 22, in the same school from 10:30 A. M. to 8 P. M. The June 22 meeting will be preceded by an organization meeting at 10 A. M.

The proposal to purchase a site for a future elementary school on the Watervliet-Shaker Rd. follows the first recommendation of the firm of Engelhardt, Engelhardt, Leggett and Correll, educational consultants.

The property, which would cost \$16,000 or less, is about a half-mile west of Rt. 9 and adjacent to the east side of Brookwood Park.

The site includes 12 acres and a lot for access. The board indicated it will recommend purchase of more sites for future schools from time to time before the properties become developed.

OTHER OBJECTIVES

Other "top priority" recommendations of the consulting firm include purchase of a site near the Latham Ridge Rd. of not less than 25 acres in the southern section of the district for a junior high school.

The board pointed out that the district's elementary school population has grown from 796 in 1950 to 2,057 this year and has caught up to the district's present school space.

The proposed additions, the board declares, will solve all the elementary school problems.

The additions call for six classrooms, one playroom, storage space and a library to Goodrich School on six acres of land to be purchased. This will provide for 375 pupils at a cost of \$271,000.

Forts Ferry School would get six more classrooms, a kindergarten, library room, remedial reading room, storage room, and a folding partition in the gym. This will provide for 551 pupils at a cost of \$320,000.

Southgate School will get six classrooms, a kindergarten, and a folding partition for the gym. This will provide for 575 pupils at a cost of \$305,000.

Alan Cruickshank Road-a Delegate

Alan Cruickshank, 17, of 246 Old Wiskayuna Rd. will go to Albany June 20 to represent the state of New York at the

Latham in the state finals of the "Teenage Roade-o."

A senior at Watervliet High School, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Cruickshank. He won the recent Latham Junior Chamber of Commerce driving competition.

Third Immunization Clinic Tomorrow

Colonie's third immunization clinic against diphtheria, whooping cough, lockjaw and smallpox will be tomorrow from 9 to 11 A. M. in Blue Creek School and Thursday

in Colonie Village Firehouse from 9 to 11 A. M. for children of three months through 16 years of age. Booster shots will also be given; and par-

ents or guardians must accompany the children at the clinic.

John H. Guevin, co-manager of the Ambulance Service Corp. of Troy, will speak on "Transportation and Handling of All Types of Patients" at the Latham Lions Club meeting at 7 P. M. tomorrow in Slesman's Haufbrau. The charter night dinner and dance will be held June 27 at the Shaker Ridge Country Club.

Stephen McNally of Latham has been named chairman of the Latham drive of the area chapter of the Association for the help of Retarded Children now underway.

Other new officers are Mrs. Constance LaCross, vice-president; Mrs. Marjorie Ward, treasurer, and Mrs. Marie Durocher, recording secretary.

Mrs. Elizabeth White, a past president, will be installing officer, and Mrs. Bertha Snyder will be toastmaster. Music for dancing will be furnished by Frank Perreault's "Townsmen."

COHOES:

S-P Assn. Installation Thursday

Mrs. Eileen Forger will be installed as president of the Sister-Parent Assn. of Kevyn Memorial Academy, Cohoes, at a banquet at Van Schaick Island Country Club Thursday at 8:30 P. M.

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Other seniors presented awards included:

Jean S. Argus, Bethlehem Memorial Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and its Ladies Auxiliary Scholarship Award for scholarship and citizenship.

The cash prize was presented by Mrs. Charles B. Long of the auxiliary.

Joan B. Smith, Bethlehem Business and Professional Women's Club award for business proficiency, presented by Mrs. Harold Williams, club representative.

Shirley Mitchell, Delmar Progress Club scholarship cash award, presented by Mrs. Catherine Van Volkenburgh, club member.

Susan Davison, National Sales Executive Essay Award;

Ronald LaGrange, DeKalb Agricultural Award; Barbara

Music Recital
Tomorrow

Music pupils of Renato

Rolando, 344 Kenwood Ave.

Delmar, will be presented in a recital tomorrow at the

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